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14th Septmeber 2004

Dear Sir/Madam

Re Taylor Nelson Sofres plc: file no 82-4668v

In accordance with the requirements of rule 12-g3-2b please find enclosed the following for Taylor Nelson Sofres plc:

1. Taylor Nelson Sofres plc – RNS Announcement – 13/09/04.

I trust the above is in order, please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries.

Yours faithfully

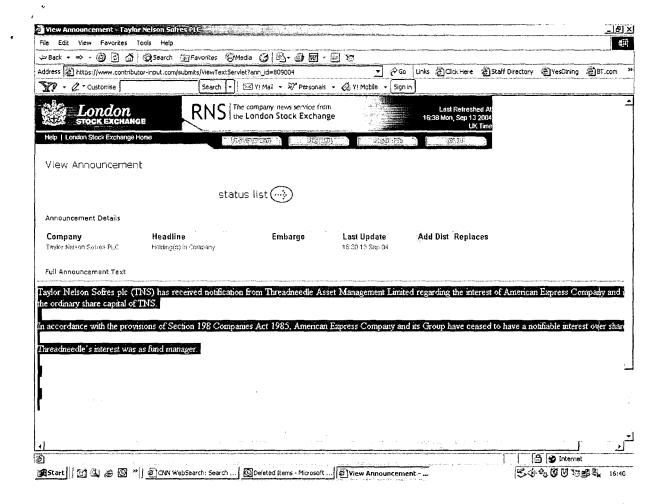
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Taylor Nelson Sofres plc (TNS) has received notification from Threadneedle Asset Management Limited regarding the interest of American Express Company and its Group in the ordinary share capital of TNS.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 198 Companies Act 1985, American Express Company and its Group have ceased to have a notifiable interest over shares in TNS.

Threadneedle's interest was as fund manager.